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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 09/777,603  
Applicants : Robert G. ROODMAN et al.  
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Title : pH STABLE ACTIVATED CARBON  
Group Art Unit : 1724  
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 26, 2003, Applicants hereby submit the accompanying amendments and remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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